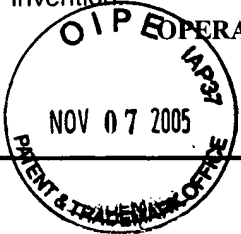
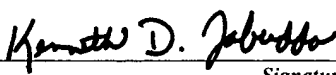
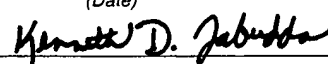


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)				Docket No. 03P06163	
In Re Application Of: Christian Breuer, et al.					
Application No. 10/830,048	Filing Date April 23, 2004	Examiner Jimmy T. Vu	Customer No.	Group Art Unit 2821	Confirmation No.
Invention: <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> OPERATING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR OPERATING GAS DISCHARGE LAMPS </div> </div>					
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>June 15, 2005</u> above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div>					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> One month </div> <div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Three months </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Four months </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Five months </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div> from: <u>September 15, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div> </div> <div> until: <u>November 15, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div> </div> </div>					
The fee for the extension of time is \$450 and is to be paid as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0685 <input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 15-0685 <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.					
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> Signature </div> </div>			Dated: 4 November 2005		
Kenneth D. Labudda Agent for Applicant(s) USPTO Registration No. 41,134 OSRAM SYLVANIA, INC. 800 N. Church St. Lake Zurich, IL 60047 Tel. (847) 726-6448 Fax (847) 726-6599 11/04/2005 HLE333 00000054 150685 10830048 01 Fee:1252 450.00 DA CC:			<div style="font-size: x-small;"> I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on <u>November 4, 2005</u>. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">(Date)</div>  <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Kenneth D. Labudda, Reg. No. 41,134 Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence </div> </div>		